General Counsel

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Chief, FBIB

Expenses in connection with Death of Employees Outside the U. S.

Ref. : Memorandum from the Chief, Okinawa Bureau to the Chief, PBIB dated 16 Movember 1948, Subject: The Current Death Program (Copy attached)

1. With respect to the questions in paragraph 8 of reference above it is believed that those questions pertaining to U. S. citisens can be properly answered by familiarising with the provisions of Executive Order No. 8557. However, it is anticipated that the Ckinawa Bureau will be staffed with a great number of foreign nationals from various points on the continent of Asia and Australia, and from some of the Pacific islands. Since no burials of foreign nationals are permitted on Okinawa it is necessary that the Bureau Chief have advance knowledge of proper procedures to be followed in the event of deaths among foreign national employees of the bureau.

2. It is therefore requested that:

- a. FBIE be furnished a statement of policies, procedures, and regulations to be followed in the case of death of fereign nationals employed on Okinawa.
- b. FBIB be advised of any recent changes to or amendments of Executive Order No. 8557 insofar as it applies to death of U. S. citizen employees stationed at everseas posts.

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